FIRs under Sri Niwas Puri Police Station, New Delhi

2416. SHRI SANJAY NIRUPAM:
SHRI CHIMANBHAI HARIBHAI SHUKLA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Police Station Sriniwaspuri, New Delhi is not disposing of FIRs in a proper manner;

(b) how many FIRs were lodged under the said Police Station for the last six months and how many of them were disposed off;

(c) what is the status of the FIRs lodged on the 6th May, 1997 with the said Police Station;

(d) the punishments awarded to the guilty involved in the above FIRs;

(e) whether any representations have been received from a Member of Parliament in this regard; and

(f) if so, the action being taken thereon and if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) No, Sir.

(b) During the period from 1.1.97 to 15.7.97, a total number of 742 FIRs were registered at Police Station Sriniwaspuri, out of which 198 FIRs have since been disposed off.

(c) to (f) 3 FIRs were registered at Police Station Sriniwaspuri on 6.5.97. Whereas one of these cases has since been challanged in Court, the two other cases are under various stages of investigation. Delhi Police have further reported that no specific reference in respect of these cases from a Member of Parliament appears to have been received by them.

Terrorism in Punjab

2417. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether as reported in the Indian Express of July 12, 1997 under the caption "with outside helo, Punjab outfits still active" at least half a dozen terrorist outfits still retain the capability to strike at specific targets in Punjab;

(b) whether it is also a fact that some of their leaders are active abroad or in other States; and

(c) if so, what is Government's information about the activities of these militant outfits and their leaders?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) to (c) Most of the Sikh militant leaders are based in Pakistan, enjoying the hospitality of the Pak ISI. Besides these leaders in Pakistan, there are Sikh militant leaders and other supporters, active in Europe and North American countries. Pak based Sikh terrorist leaders are under continuous pressure from the Pak ISI to undertake violent actions in Punjab and neighbouring states. These Pak based leaders are in constant touch with their conterparts in India and abroad.

The Government have alerted the Police and the Intelligence agencies who are fully aware of the threat from the Pak ISI and are making all out efforts to contain the situation. Punjab police has achieved some good breaks through in the reason terrorist incidents in the State.